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| |) | <u>REQUIREMENT</u> | |
| Atty. File No.: 5553NA1-1 |) | | |
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| For: ELECTROCARDIOGRAM CHART |) | | |
| DEVICE AND METHOD THEREOF |) | | |

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In an Office Action dated August 28, 2007, the Office issued a Restriction Requirement with regard to the above-identified patent application. Generally, the Office Action indicated that Claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 9-12 and 14 (Group 1), were drawn to an ECG chart generating device; Claims 3, 4, 7, 13, 15 and 16 (Group 2), were drawn to an ECG display device; Claims 17 and 18 (Group 3), were drawn to an ECG chart displayed object; and Claims 19-21 (Group 4), were drawn to methods for ECG representation, and that all were distinct inventions. Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 9-12 and 14 (Group 1) in this patent application. Applicants further believe claim 8, which was not mentioned in the Restriction Requirement, should be included in Group 1. Claim 8 is thus also elected with the claims of Group 1. However, Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue the remaining claims in subsequent divisional application(s).

Respectfully submitted,

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